(o) The concerned TTE has been placed under suspension and major penalty proceedings have been initiated against him.

Post of Joint Commissioner (Academic) lying vacant

1822. DR. NAGEN SAIKIA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that thepost of Joint Commissioner (Academic) in Kendriya Sangathan has been lying vacant

(b) if so, since when and what are the reasong therefor; and

(c) what efforts are being made to fill the post and the results thereof?

THE MINISTER OF HUMMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI P. SHIV SHANKER): (a) to (c) The post of Joint Commissioner (Academic) has been lying vacant since 19th August, 1987. The recruitment rules require the post to be filled up by promotion, failing which by transfer on deputation. For filling up the post by promotion, there was only one departmental candidate who became eligible for promotion on 28.8.1988. While the proceedings of the Departmental Promotion Committee which considered his promotion were under finalisation, he proceeded on retirement on attaining the age of superannuation. Action has, thereafter, been initiated to full up the post by transfer on deputation.

गंडक नदी पर रेल तथा सड़क पुलों सम्बन्धी विशेषज्ञ समिति का प्रतिवेदन

1823. **श्री सत्य प्रकाश मालवीय:** क्या रेल मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) गंडक नदी पर रेल और सड़क पुल की व्यवस्था करने की संभाव्यता की जांच करने हेतु नियुक्त विशेषज्ञ समिति द्वारा योजना आयोग को प्रस्तुत किये गये प्रतिवेदन पर क्या कार्यवाही की जा रही है ; और

(ख) विशेषज्ञ समिति की मुख्य सिफारिशें क्या हैं ?

रेल मंत्रालय के राज्य मंत्री (श्री माधवराव सिंधिया) : (क) और (ख) विशेषज्ञ समिति ने योजना आयोग को प्रस्तुत अपनी रिपोर्ट में सिफारिश की हैं कि छितौनी में गंडक नदी पर रेल पुल या रेल एवं सड़क पुल के निर्माण का औचित्य नहीं था । योजना आयोग ने इस सिफारिश पर सहमति प्रकट की है :

Survey of temples of archaeological importance

1824. SHRI SURENDRA SINGH THAKUR: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have undertaken any survey of old temples of archeo-logical importance in the country;

(b) if so, what are the details of such survey;

(c) whether any temple has been idea* tified in Madhya Pradesh by the Survey for preservation and protection by the Central Government;

(d) if so, what are the details there of; and

(e) what steps have been taken by Government to implement the survey re port?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The temples da'e from the ancient to the medieval period showing use of many regional styles of sculpture and architecture reflecting diverse religious and cultural associations.

(c) A list of temples in Madhya Pra' desh already identified and protected by